## **REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

The Official Action is a restriction requirement in which the Office alleges it contains nine separate and distinct inventions claimed in this application. Applicants elect the invention termed "Group I" wherein the claims covered are 1, 4-6, and 8. The present election is made without traverse.

Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application on the non-elected inventions at a later time.

The Official Action further requires an election of species and in accordance with the requirement for an election; Applicants elect the species of the compound of Example 3. Applicants make the election without traverse.

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The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned in order to resolve any other issues associated with this application to promote the efficient examination of the current application.

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